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| <b>TITLE</b><br>Flake pigment, coating material and powder coating composition each containing the same and surface-treating agent for flaky particle for use therein  |   |                                  |   |   |
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